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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

VENETSANAKOS, E.

Serial No.: 10/720,696

Group Art: 1614

Filed: 11/25/2003

Examiner: To be assigned

For: **METHODS FOR TREATING CANCER USING PORIMIN AS A TARGET**

BLANKET PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME **AND AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE/CREDIT DEPOSIT ACCOUNT**

March 9, 2005

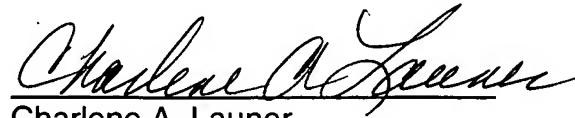
Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

If a paper is untimely filed in the subject application by applicant or his representative and such paper is not accompanied by an effective petition for extension of time, the Commissioner is hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the minimum extension of time required to make said paper timely. In the event a petition for extension of time is made under the provisions of this paragraph, the Commissioner is hereby requested to charge any fee required under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)-(d) to Deposit Account No. 03-1664.

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